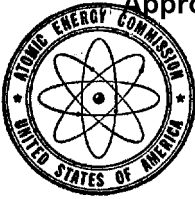


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ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

Mr. Philip J. Farley
Special Assistant to the Secretary
for Disarmament and Atomic Energy
Department of State

Dear Mr. Farley:

This is in reply to your memorandum of October 28, 1958.

In an endeavor to cooperate to the fullest extent in helping to insure the success of the forthcoming Geneva Conference on Nuclear Test Cessation, the Commission has given to Dr. George M. Kavanagh, its representative with the U. S. Delegation, broad authority to declassify and authorize the utilization in the conference of the information covered by the following topics of the Security Classification Guide for the Conference on Nuclear Test Cessation:

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The authority granted Dr. Kavanagh is subject to DOD and CIA concurrence in the declassification of the information covered by the topics listed above.

Since the time available did not permit the necessary prior coordination, I have asked the Director of Central Intelligence Agency and the Department of Defense to notify you directly of their comments.

This material contains information affecting the national defense of the United States within the meaning of the espionage laws, Title 18, U.S.C., Secs. 793 and 794, the transmission or revelation of which in any manner to an unauthorized person is prohibited by law.

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Mr. Philip J. Farley

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It is requested that you notify the Commission in due course when any information has been declassified and published.

If, in the course of the conference, you feel that the declassification of additional information is necessary to carry out the mission assigned to the delegation, please submit to the AEC, through Dr. Kavanagh, a request that it be declassified.

Sincerely yours,

General Manager

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles

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